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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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December 14, 2001Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Office Action (Paper No. 5), dated September 21, 2001,
Applicants submit the following amendment and response.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please delete the paragraph on page 1 (lines 4-7) and replace with the
following paragraph:

B' --This application is a divisional of commonly assigned 08/911,423, filed
August 14, 1997, now U.S. Patent No. 6,111,090, which claims priority to U.S.
Provisional Applications Ser. Nos. 60/023,419, filed August 16, 1996, and
60/027,901, filed October 7, 1996.--